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PART-III

GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA FORESTS & ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 10th December, 2018.

No.ENV.4/2000/Vol-II/1996. - In pursuance of the Notification No. S.O. 5846(E), dated 26th November, 2018 issued by the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change and published in the Gazette of India; Extraordinary, it is hereby notified that the office of the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (SF & Env.), O/o of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests shall act as the Secretariat for both the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA) and the State Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC). All proposals for Environment Clearance shall be received at the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA) Secretariat and shall be referred to the State Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC) for scrutiny, scoping, appraisal etc., as per the Notification No. S.O. 5846(E), dated 26th November, 2018 and its subsequent amendments.

The financial support including transportation and such other facilities in respect of its statutory functions shall be provided to both the State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA) and the State Expert Appraisal Committee (SEAC) by the Meghalaya State Pollution Control Board out of the grant received under the Head of Accounts "2406-Forest & Wildlife-01-190-Assistance to Public Sector and Other Undertakings-(05) Financial Assistance to State Environment Impact Assessment Authority(SEIAA)-36 Grants-in-Aid-General (Non-Salary)".

P. W. INGTY,

Additional Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Meghalaya, Forests & Environment Department.

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MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 26th November, 2018.

S.O. 5846(E). - In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (3) of section 3 of the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 (29 of 1986) and in pursuance of the notification of the Government of India in the erstwhile Ministry of Environment and Forests, number S.O. 1533(E), dated the 14th September, 2006 (hereinafter referred to as the said notification), the Central Government hereby constitutes the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Meghalaya (hereinafter referred to as the Authority, Meghalaya) comprising of the following Members, namely:—

 Shri Tony Trabert C. Marak, Indian Forest Service, (Retired), Village-Umsawli, P.O. Mawdiangdiang, Shillong - 793012, Meghalaya. - Chairman

Dr. Hiambok Jones Syiemlieh, Professor, Department of Geography, North-Eastern Hill University, Shillong - 793022, Meghalaya. Member

 Chief Conservator of Forests, Social Forestry and Environment, Government of Meghalaya. Member Secretary

- 2. The Chairman and Members of the Authority, Meghalaya, shall hold office for a term of three years from the date of publication of this notification in the Official Gazette.
- 3. The Authority, Meghalaya, shall exercise such powers and follow such procedures as specified in the said notification.
- 4. The Authority, Meghalaya, shall take its decision on the recommendations of the State Level Expert Appraisal Committee constituted under paragraph 5 for the State of Meghalaya.
- 5. For the purpose of assisting the Authority, Meghalaya, the Central Government in consultation with the State Government of Meghalaya, hereby constitutes the State Level Expert Appraisal Committee (hereinafter referred to as SEAC, Meghalaya) comprising of the following Members, namely:-

Shri Nababrata Bhattacharjee,
"Megharun" Daphne Road,
Kenchs Trace, P.O. Laban,
Shillong - 793004, Meghalaya.

Chairman

 Shri Shekhar K. Sangma, Joint Director, Soil and Water Conservation (Retired), R.C. Road, Tura, Member

West Garo Hills -794002, Meghalaya.

 Shri Toiler H. S. Bonney, Indian Forest Service, (Retired), Sohiong Village (Mawtap), Member

East Khasi Hills District - 793115, Meghalaya.

Member

Member

4. Shri Puhran M. Sangma, H.No. 93/2, Madan Laban, Near Nepali School, Shillong-793004, Meghalaya.

5. Dr. Donkupar Sviem. Professor, Department of Biochemistry, North Eastern Hill University,

Shillong-793022, Meghalaya.

6. Shri Phngain Singh Giri Lyngdoh, Member Opposite Khasi National Dorbar Hall, Mawkhar Main Road, Shillong-793001, Meghalaya.

- Deputy Conservator of Forests, Office of the Additional Secretary. 7. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Social Forestry and Environment), Government of Meghalaya.
- 6. The Chairman and Members of SEAC, Meghalaya, shall hold office for a term of three years from the date of publication of this notification in the Official Gazette.
- 7. The SEAC, Meghalaya shall exercise such powers and follow such procedures as specified in the said notification.
- The SEAC, Meghalaya, shall function on the principle of collective responsibility and the Chairman shall 8. endeavor to reach a consensus in each case, and if consensus cannot be reached, the view of the majority shall prevail.
- The Government of Meghalaya, shall notify an agency to act as Secretariat for the Authority, Meghalaya 9. and SEAC, Meghalaya and the Secretariat shall provide all financial and logistic support including accommodation, transportation and such other facilities in respect of all their statutory functions.
- The sitting fee, travelling allowance and dearness allowance to the Chairman and Members of the Authority, Meghalaya and SEAC, Meghalaya, shall be paid as per the rules of the State Government of Meghalaya.

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JIGMET TAKPA, Jt. Secv.